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Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.97 through 1.99 and pursuant to applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, applicant respectfully brings the following documents, cited in the corresponding PCT application PCT/US2004/011655 in a Notification of Transmittal of the International Search Report mailed May 26, 2006, less than three months prior to this submission for the above-identified patent application and listed on the attached forms PTO-1449, to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application. Copies of the listed documents are provided herewith for the convenience of the Examiner.

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